

## A GIRL IN THE WAR CAPITAL

By EDNA HUBER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 21.—America's war capital is no place for the woman who loves pleasure. Pleasure simply isn't here.

For years Washington has slept, content with itself and its social life. Former winters have had their little dances, their little suppers, and the pleasure seekers have gone to New York or Philadelphia for their pleasures. Washington slept on.

Now the national capital finds itself in the midst of a great boom. There are hundreds of newcomers here who love pleasure and need it after the strenuous days. Washington has nothing to offer them.

Other cities offer cafes and restaurants, where there are bright lights and music for tired and strained nerves. Washington has nothing of the kind. The few restaurants that do offer music are managed by men

who can see no reason why anyone should want to be out after 10 o'clock at night. They lock their doors.

Theaters in Washington—a city of 400,000 population—are limited to two houses playing legitimate attractions and one first-class vaudeville house. When a real attraction comes the two office finds no protest when the prices are hoisted exorbitantly.

Washington is still a village, in that its pleasures are family pleasures. Little social groups find enjoyment in each other's society, but they rarely venture away from the boundaries of their own little community.

The wildest excitement that is offered to a girl in Washington is the afternoon promenade on F street. Up and down, up and down they go, all dressed up in their finery. Some of them tote little dogs along, and some of them tote mothers, but up and down they go. It is just a fashion show. Each girl goes out to see what her neighbor has in the way of new clothes. On the corner they gather to gossip for a few minutes.

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## Society and Club Calendar for Saturday

A bazaar and Christmas sale to the parish house of St. Clement, by the girls of the White Cross Guild. Two to six o'clock. Silver tea.

Wade Hampton chapter, E. D. C. Some literary club.

Friday Knitting club.

Dance by the Starlight club in L. O. O. F. hall. Mrs. C. F. Leary, chairman.

On the time of the gay Lotario has passed. He used to be a bit of this promiscuous, but now he has gone to war, or, if he hasn't, he finds no pleasure in the F street promiscuous.

Perhaps some enterprising citizen of sleepy Philadelphia will come to Washington some night, realize the gold mine that awaits the man who offers amusement here, and start to work. The police force won't like it because it will mean keeping the streets open after 10, but I know a hundred girls that will be keen for the man with the idea.

## Out of Town Visitors.

W. L. Casa, of Sierra Blanca, is at Hotel Zeigler.

Mrs. J. K. Paxton, of Las Cruces, is at Hotel Zeigler.

Mrs. E. Layne, of Memphis, Tenn., is at Hotel Pano del Norte.

C. Bonbold, of Little Rock, is at Hotel Zeigler.

George Weiss, of Fort Hancock, Tex., is at Hotel Pano del Norte.

A. L. Baris, a mining engineer of Douglas, is at Hotel Pano del Norte.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McSorley, of Salt Lake, N. M., are at Hotel Zeigler.

Thomas B. Thaxton and J. E. Thaxton, of Mesilla Park, are at Hotel Zeigler.

Miss J. M. Fox, of the Texas range, stationed at Marfa, is at Hotel Zeigler.

Mrs. J. A. Mahoney and Miss Mary Mahoney, of Deming, are at Hotel Pano del Norte.

Mrs. E. C. McCutcheon, Miss Rena McCutcheon and Miss Lucille White, of Toyah, Tex., are at Hotel Pano del Norte.

Mrs. H. E. Smith, who formerly lived in El Paso, returned to her home in Taylor, Ark., on the Sunshine Special Thursday after a visit to relatives here.

Mrs. Carrie Louise Steels, of Toledo, O., is expected in El Paso for the Yuletide, to visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. Horace A. Lay. For her, innumerable courtesies will be extended.

Mrs. E. C. Hamel, formerly Miss Sara Davis, of El Paso, but now of Dallas, terminated a pleasant visit with friends in this city on Friday and departed for her home in the eastern part of the state.

Back in time to assume the pleasant duties of business to the "newsies" at their annual "feet." Mrs. Florence L. Hines has come from the east on her winter visit, and is domiciled at Hotel Sheldon. Mrs. Hines is expected to the Harvey House management, to prepare for the banquet to

## Is Returning To Spend Holidays



## Miss Clara Long, who returns from Berkeley Friday.

to enjoy the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lewis. She is a freshman at the university.

The newboys, which is to be quite the biggest event in their eyes, for Christmas day, at noon.

H. A. Davis, chief mechanic of battery P, of the 12nd field artillery, at Camp Bowie, is home to spend two days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Davis, of 1781 East Boulevard.

Mrs. S. R. Newcomb and children, Joseph and Mary Irene, of Henderson, and Mrs. G. E. McNeil of Valentine, have also come home for the holiday season, to make the reunion at the Davis home complete.

Mrs. S. Goldstone of Canton, Ill., is returning east tonight, following a visit of several days in El Paso with her son, Pvt. Aubrey Goldstone, of company A, of the Eighth engineers. While in El Paso the visitor was entertained by Mrs. L. G. Oppenheimer, of 916 West Missouri, being among her hostesses, who gave a dinner at Hotel Pano del Norte, followed by a second like event at the Harvey house.

Much to the joy of her scores of friends in El Paso, Mrs. William Horath is arriving on the morning, to be the guest, over the holidays, of Mrs. J. W. Cathcart and Mrs. Horace A. Lay. No one enjoys a larger acquaintance than does this former prominent matron, who for years occupied a high place in church, social and club circles of the city, especially in the Y. W. and charities. Her removal to Arizona, a few months ago, caused general regret, and her return is sure to signal many pleasant welcoming courtesies.

## El Pasoans Away.

Mrs. E. C. Hammet went to San Antonio this morning.

Mrs. J. Tex went to Kansas City on the Santa Fe train Thursday.

J. W. Casdus will go to Houston on the Sunset Limited Saturday.

C. Grossman will go to San Antonio on the Sunset Limited Saturday.

W. A. Monahan went to Ogden, Utah, on the Santa Fe train Thursday.

Miss Violet Hileman went to Waco on the Sunshine special Thursday.

E. P. Dale will go to Dallas this evening on the Sunshine special.

Miss Daisy N. David is leaving Saturday for Washington, D. C., on the Golden State Limited Friday.

R. W. Griffin went to east Texas points on the Sunshine Special Thursday.

Mrs. F. S. Blackmon went to Aracady, La., on the Sunshine special Thursday.

Mrs. J. J. Neel will go to San Antonio this evening on the Sunset Limited.

McQuarters went to Los Angeles on the Golden State Limited Friday.

W. F. Walter went to Pecos Valley, N. M., on the Sunshine Special Thursday evening.

H. A. Underwood will go to Birmingham, Ala., on the Sunshine Special this evening.

Miss Lucy Donovan left for Fort Worth and Dallas on the Sunshine Special Thursday.

Mrs. W. R. Daniels and daughters will go to Terrell, Tex., on the Sunshine special this evening.

Miss Nellie Hanahan and Miss Berne Thorpe went to Denver, on the Santa Fe train Thursday.

J. F. Duherman, quartermaster transportation department, left Thursday to spend the holidays with relatives in Terrell, Tex.

Going to join her husband at Camp Travis, Mrs. E. L. Harris left today for San Antonio, where she will enjoy the holidays. Mr. Harris is now a lieutenant.

J. F. Buck bade farewell to his many El Paso friends, and left Thursday night for San Pedro, where he will be in training with Uncle Sam's recruits.

Mrs. Colla Britland, of 1906 Prospect avenue is leaving Saturday night for Oakland, to join her son, recently enlisted in crew 256 of the Morquitos fleet of the navy.

A. Weiss leaves tonight for San Francisco, where he is to enjoy Christmas with friends. Later on, he will go to Los Angeles to greet the New Year with acclaim, having accepted an invitation to join friends at the Elks club.

Some of Amy's teachers are going for their holidays to the following places: Mrs. Ott Grimmer will spend Christmas and New Year's with her parents at Punta, Texas; Miss Aid Barnes will visit in Beaumont; Miss Mary Young Milan will visit in Fort Worth; Mrs. Lena Dalton is to visit her son, who is at Camp Bowie; Mrs. Layme Hodges plans to go to Deming, N. M.; Miss Nell E. Lyons goes to Las Cruces, as does Miss Elvina Lyons; Hereford will be the objective point for Miss Elizabeth LeGrand.

## About El Pasoans.

Coming as a joyous Christmas gift, a wee son arrived Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. McClintock of Cooper street.

Mrs. George J. Cole has moved from 155 North Virginia to 1118 Montana, where she is now at home to friends. With her, for the winter, are Mr. and Mrs. George A. Mansfield, Mr. Mansfield having recently returned from an extended trip east.

Registered at the Hotel Laughlin are the following: Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Smith and wife, R. J. Sullivan, Mrs. Florence A. Sheppard, John E. Bajan, A. B. Curtis, J. H. Warren, Miss Louise Painter, Miss Willie Meeks, Miss Rose Carver, all of El Paso.

Much interest will be evidenced in El Paso over the recent honor bestowed upon William W. Jeremiah, of Washington, D. C., in being chosen vice president of the Gridiron club at the national capital. Mr. Jeremiah is a brother of one of El Paso's residents, Mrs. Guy L. Warren, who has but lately returned from an extended stay with the former in the east. The election to the next highest office of the Gridiron club means eventually his automatic choice for president.

Who will spend Christmas with her mother there? Miss Melba Smith will be her vacation holiday between San Antonio and Denton, Texas; Miss Mabel Kenney plans to visit in Odessa; Miss Louise Lay will join her homefolk in Denton, Texas; Miss Nancy Crank will go to her home in Kansas City for the holiday period from school duties; Mrs. Myrtle Wilson is to join her mother in Waco; Miss Louise Calhoun, Miss Lela Willet, goes to Paducah; Miss Mary Gillet goes home to Alpine, Tex.

## Musical.

Pleasantly anticipated is the musical to be given by Joseph M. Evans at his studio on 1519 Montana, Saturday afternoon at the hour of 2.

Miss Zora Oliver is appearing in recital, Saturday afternoon, at the El Paso apartment, Miss Oliver is a pupil of Walter Davis.

## FOOD DEALERS MUST SECURE SCHEDULE FROM WASHINGTON

Schedules required by dealers for reporting stocks of foodstuffs on hand on Dec. 31, next for a national food survey can be secured by addressing a bureau of markets, United States department of agriculture, Washington, D. C., according to information just received by George H. Clements, food administrator for West Texas.

"For reporting supplies on hand of more than 100 important food items will be mailed to as many dealers as possible, but it was stated that it will be impossible to reach all. Dealers who do not receive a schedule for reporting by Jan. 2, are asked to send for one."

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